

Carson Shelter!! Owner Died, 16 cats need Rescue

In August of 2020, South Bay police were called to do a wellness check on a woman who had not been heard from in some time. When police entered the home, they found she had passed away on her couch. They also found over 20 animals she had been caring for, extremely emaciated and in very bad shape.

The police did not know how long the owner had been deceased but the conditions of the home were uninhabitable. Feces and urine were everywhere and bags of cat food clawed into...there was one dead dog, a deceased cat and one cat near death lying with her head stuck in a can of cat food...

We have since found out that the owner was a known independent rescuer in the South Bay who had gotten in way over her head trying to take care of animals even though she herself, suffering from anemia and other unknown causes. Her next of kin showed no interest in helping the animals left behind (even when asked directly) and asked animal control to pick them all up and take to the shelter. No provisions were made for the animals and next of kin did not offer any monetary or networking support.



As a rescue, we get called by the shelter often to help with situations like these...and it never ceases to amaze us that after an animal caregiver passes, the one thing they cared most about in the world (their pets) is often times what next of kin disregards. It is usually the house left behind and the things of monetary value their kin cares about. This instance was no different and now 16 cats are sitting at the shelter, scared and in need of rescue ASAP. We have rescued 2 so far and the shelter is asking that the rest be picked up by the end of September or most will be euthanized due to space and limited resources during COVID-19.

We need rescues, fosters, and funds to help the remaining 14 left at the Carson Shelter.

To rescue or give a home to ANY of these deserving beings, please email us at info@carsoncats.com. To foster, go to <https://www.carsoncats.com/foster> .

Can you help any of these kitties below? Adopt, Foster, Donate!

	<p>A5056920</p> <p>3yr male/neutered gray/brown tabby. The youngest of the bunch and uber sweet.</p> <p>Rescued from Carson Shelter 3 years ago as a kitten. Supposed to be fostered for cat rescue group but apparently never adopted. Today he is very affectionate, loving any attention coming his way.</p>
	<p>A5382260</p> <p>6yr male/neutered black tabby. Very friendly and calm.</p> <p>The perfect well-behaved addition to your home.</p>
	<p>A5382252 7yr female/spayed tortie.</p> <p>If you look up "Attention Hog" in the dictionary, her picture would be there.</p> <p>The ultimate in bugging you for extra love. She will love you to pieces for sure.</p>
	<p>A5382261 8yr male/neutered gray/white.</p> <p>He is still getting used to a cage and all these strangers cleaning his area. Needs a person who can be patient with him and show him that everything will be okay.</p> <p>He misses his owner.</p>



A5382256 7yr female/spayed white/black.

She is a quiet girl who keeps to herself. In time, she will come out of her shell and find out there's a whole new world out there. A patient foster/adopter is her best bet.



A5382565 6yr male/neutered black.

Another one who is not used to other people, he is wary and flinches when being petted but allows pets and is not mean at all.

More socializing needed with him.



A5382257 10yr female/spayed seal pt tabby.

A little bit afraid but can be petted.

More work needed with her to bring out her true personality.

We bet she is a total sweetheart. Siamese are so sensitive!



A5382566 6yr male/neutered black/white.

Reeeeeally friendly, loves attention.

Can't wait to be your newest member of the household.



A5382567 6yr female/spayed calico.

Very shy and weary right now of people.

Socialization needed to show her there are others who will love her as much as her owner did.



A5382575

10yr male/neutered cream/orange (flame pt?).

Hissy, unhappy, came down with URI.

He needs his own space and a patient foster to work with him. He doesn't understand why he's in a cage all by himself.



A5382577

6yr male/neutered black/white.

He looks out of box wondering why is he here? Where's my owner?

Where are all my other friends? Socialization and patience is what he needs.

He is scared right now; we need to turn him into the loving happy cat he used to be.



A5382706

12yr female/spayed black

She is afraid and a little confused as to why she is all by herself. Stays in her box most of the time, does not seek attention. Needs a room of her own to decompress.

	<p>A5382707</p> <p>7yr female/spayed tortie.</p> <p>Suuuuuper friendly, just waiting for someone to stop by her cage to give her attention. She will settle in a new home right away.</p>
	<p>A5382708 5yr male/neutered black/white.</p> <p>This poor boy is so afraid. Stays in feral box and showed no reaction to the volunteers hand. Someone needs to work with him and bring out the happy kitty buried deep within.</p>

To help with fostering any of these sweet cats, please go to <https://www.carsoncats.com/foster> and complete our foster application.

Also, if you can donate ANY AMOUNT to sponsor a kitty (each will cost minimum between \$200-\$500 to vet properly since many our seniors), please donate by:

- 1) going to our website at <http://www.carsoncats.com/donate> (takes credit cards) or
- 2) Paypal directly at [paypal.me/carsoncats](https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/carsoncats)
- 3) Venmo which is @CarsonCatsRescue



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